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ILLEGAL STILL RAIDED AT ELDORA BY DONORA OFFICERS

**"Hootch" of a Superior
Brand was Being Made
at the Plant**

CONFISCATE ALL THE APPARATUS

One of the most important illegal liquor selling arrests in this section since the passage of the Volstead act was made at Donora on Friday last by Constable Charles E. Titus and Chief of Police Smedley and other officers of that borough, when they held up a touring car passing through that town and found the rear seat chockfull of "hootch."

In all there were 13 gallons of contraband liquor confiscated. The car when apprehended was being driven by Joseph Casinelli, an Italian of Monongahela, who was accompanied by two other men, John Torti of Monongahela, and Carlo Tarento of Monaca. The trio also had a small girl, a relative of Casinelli, in the rear seat, which was a ruse and gave the car an innocent appearance. The little girl was knitting at a partially knitted sweater when the outfit was taken into custody. She was later taken to her home in Monongahela.

The three men were taken before Justice of the Peace Grover W. Boyd, and were placed in the lockup to await word from the Federal authorities as to what disposition should be made of the prisoners.

Casinelli declared he had not manufactured the illicit whisky, but had purchased it from a man who conducted a still in the vicinity of Eldora. The officers at once took him to the alleged scene of the manufacture, but when he arrived there he became sulky and refused to give any further information. A woman who lived in the community was consulted and she gave the information that she believed the still was in operation in an adjacent cellar.

The officers went to the location and there they found one of the most complete distilling outfits ever taken in the county. The still was rigged up with copper boilers, copper worms, a gauging outfit and in fact a miniature reproduction of a large distilling plant.

While the officers were extending their search it developed that Casinelli was the proprietor of the place and lived in the house in the cellar of which the still was located. Authorities believe they have discovered the source of much of the illicit whisky which has been on the market in this section of the county and valley. This contraband has always been of a superior quality, it is said, and distinguished from genuine whisky only with the greatest difficulty. At the office of Justice Boyd some of the liquor was tested and found to be 100 proof. The entire outfit was confiscated.

FOREIGN EXODUS IS

REPORTED FROM VALLEY
It is said that quite a number of foreigners are leaving this section of the valley for their old homes in Europe. In many cases whole families

KOSCOE DECLARES WAR ON UNLICENSED DOGS

War has been declared on all unlicensed dogs running at large in Roscoe. Following an attack late in February on the Misses Edwards the burgess issued a proclamation notifying all owners of dogs to keep them chained. The proclamation, like the law, was ignored. After the death of Miss Martha Edwards as a result of the attack sterner methods were called for. The constable got on the job and killed nine dogs, although meeting with opposition from a certain element in the town. However, the crusade continues.

VALUABLE DATA ON GARBAGE COLLECTION

Reports on garbage collection and disposal from 108 of the larger boroughs of the State just compiled by the Bureau of Municipalities in the Pennsylvania Department of Internal Affairs at Harrisburg show that in the majority of the towns the work is done by private individuals. In forty-six of the boroughs, collection and disposal is carried on by the municipal authorities while in the other sixty-two boroughs there is private collection and disposal. Twenty-four of the boroughs in which there is municipal collection and disposal let out the work by contract.

Disposal of garbage in Pennsylvania's boroughs assumes many forms, as shown by reports from 108 of the towns. Of this total twenty-five boroughs dispose of the garbage by dumping; five by reduction, forty-two by incineration; nine by the establishing of piggeries; and eight by burying. The remaining nineteen boroughs included in the survey use various other methods and combinations of methods used in the other towns.

The survey shows numerous systems in use for paying for collection and disposal. In some boroughs collections are made by individuals and they fix their own charges. In other towns municipal authorities make contracts with collectors and permit them to charge a certain amount from the householder for the removal of garbage. Contracts made with collectors in other boroughs provide for the removal of all garbage and payment by the borough. Another system provides for the collection and disposal by the borough itself. In some other boroughs the local authorities make the collections and then put the cost on the householder.

Of the twenty-four boroughs having contracts for collection and disposal, disposal in four of them is by dumping and burning; in three by reduction; in five by piggeries; in two by burying; and in ten by incineration.

are returning, while in other instances men are going back to join wives left behind. Those returning are carrying many gifts for their old-world kin, and at the same time being well supplied with money.

BAD SLIP SLOWS TRAINS NEAR NO. 5.

A large force of workmen are engaged in repairing a bad break in the retaining wall along the main line tracks of the Monongahela Railway, a distance of probably 150 feet below the lower end of the lock wall at Lock No. 5, on Water street, South Brownsville.

Although the break occurred several days ago, train service is being maintained over the river side track on a "slow-up" order. The break extends for a distance of approximately 35 feet along the wall and reaches from near the top of the wall to the edge of the river.

The repairing of the wall will take some time, as practically the entire wall from Lock 5 to the intercounty bridge has shown signs of slipping, which will make it necessary to place reinforcements at the river edge. It is the opinion of those in charge that nothing serious will develop as steps are being taken to stop any further crumbling of the wall.

LOCAL BALL PLAYERS GO TO OKLAHOMA

John McIlvaine, Dennis Oates, Herman Balza and Arthur Barhouse left Saturday evening on the 5:06 train for Oklahoma. McIlvaine and Oates go to Okmulgee, Oklahoma, where they will hitch up with the Western Association base ball team for a try-out, the former as pitcher and assistant manager, and Oates as a second baseman.

Balza and Barhouse go to Sapulpa, Okla., where they will try out with the Southwestern League team representing that city. Balza as a second baseman and Barhouse as a pitcher. McIlvaine and Oates secured their assignments through Dale Joliffe who is located in Okmulgee.

WHOLESALE LQUOR MUST QUIT MAY 15th

Wholesale liquor establishments will be put to death May 15th, under a sentence pronounced on Thursday by Prohibition Commissioner Kramer at Washington. An opinion rendered by Attorney General Palmer last December said the wholesaler had no legal standing to continue in business but internal revenue and prohibition officers decided to allow these establishments a few months of grace in which to work off their stocks, and this time will expire May 15th. After that date retail druggists can do business with bonded warehouses, buying their supplies direct, but under more stringent terms than heretofore.

MONTHLY MEETING OF THE D. A. R.

The regular monthly meeting of the Monongahela Valley Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, was held Saturday afternoon at the home of Miss Minnie Richardson, Lincoln avenue. Fifty-three members were present and a very delightful afternoon was spent by the members.

Features of the afternoon were a musical program, in which Miss Norma Bosson and Miss Ethel Barth took part, Miss Bosson giving a number of violin selections, while Miss Barth gave a group of songs, being accompanied by Miss Ethel Bowman. Papers were read by Mrs. J. A. Paxton on "Revolutionary Heroes" and by Miss Richardson on "Prominent Battles of the Revolutionary War." The meeting was honored by a very distinguished visitor in the person of Mrs. Antonette Schley Fischer, of Morgantown, W. Va., a sister of the late Admiral Schley, who made a very interesting address.

At the conclusion of the afternoon program refreshments were served.

PINCHOT HARD AT WORK FOR LYNCH

Young Pinchot, of CharleROI, who has drawn the assignment to meet Rantan Champion Joe Lynch before the Motor Squire Club in Pittsburgh next Monday night, is taking his task more than ordinarily seriously. Pinchot has met some good ones, but never a champion. He realizes his big opportunity has arrived and is determined he will not be found wanting when the test is applied. The CharleROI youth has seen Lynch in action and believes he will be able to offset the titleholder's rushes. Pinchot possesses a good left—one with a kick behind it—and on this he is building his greatest hopes. If he can keep Joe on the outside, boxing, he believes he will be able to more than hold his own.

Lynch is a hard fighter and is always ready to mix. In fact it is this characteristic that makes him such a dangerous contender. He is always ready to take a blow in order to deliver one. However, Pinchot's friends believe he will be able to more than hold his own.

RETURN HOME FROM PLEASANT SOUTHERN TRIP

Dr. and Mrs. A. O. Davis have returned from a very pleasant southern trip, during which time they visited Havana, Cuba; Panama, and many points of interest in Florida. While in Havana they met Mr. and Mrs. Jesse K. Johnston, former residents of CharleROI, and while in Panama saw Panamanian soldiers leaving for the front to meet the Costa Ricans.

RENEWED ACTIVITY IN COAL MARKET IS LOOKED FOR SOON

MILLS AT CLAIRTON RESUMED THIS MORNING

After a ten-day shutdown, operations will be resumed at the Clairton plant of the Carnegie steel company, according to an announcement made on Saturday last. A blast furnace was placed in operation on Thursday last, that the open hearth department might begin operations this morning. At the same time the 20-inch and 28-inch mills resumed operations, followed by four other mills Tuesday morning. The shutdown threw 4,500 men out of employment and the resumption will reduce the number to a few more than 1,600.

CALIFORNIA PHYSICIAN KILLED BY A TRAIN

Dr. R. W. Smith of California, was recently killed about 1:15 this afternoon at Newell, when his automobile in which he was riding was struck by a passenger train on the P. & L. E. railroad.

Dr. Smith, accompanied by his wife, was on his way to Pittsburgh and had just driven up from the ferry in his roadster. As he was crossing the railroad above the ferry his machine was struck by a north bound passenger train, due at Newell at 1:17 and completely demolished. Dr. Smith was instantly killed and his wife seriously injured. Dr. Smith was about 30 years of age, and was a highly esteemed resident of California.

CONFISCATE PUNCH BOARDS IN FAYETTE CITY

Walter Brown, a special officer from Uniontown, dropped into Fayette City on Thursday last and visited several places where punchboards and the prizes that go along with them were exhibited. Brown confiscated all the boards in the places where found, and the proprietors were requested to appear before Alderman Darby in Uniontown on Friday evening at 7 o'clock. In the afternoon the officer made a tour of the stores in Fairhope and Arnold City, where a large number of boards were secured.

Mrs. Ella Williams Corey.

Mrs. Ella Williams Corey died at her home, 812 Eighth street, Thursday, March 17, 1921. Funeral services were held this afternoon at 2 o'clock, in charge of Rev. John R. Burson. Interment took place in Mingo cemetery. She is survived by three daughters, Miss Lulu Williams, Mrs. Inez Brasseur of CharleROI and Mrs. Olive Schaefer of Philadelphia, one son, James A. Williams, of CharleROI, and four brothers, Joshua, Noah, and Joseph Bush of Monongahela and Edward Bush of Bentleyville.

CharleROI Council No. 1240 Royal Arcanum members will meet tonight at 7 o'clock sharp at Knights Malta Building to visit Monongahela council.

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Prices will be Away Below
Those Which Prevailed
Last Fall

LAKE TRADE WILL OPEN SOON

A revival of the coal market of Western Pennsylvania, Eastern Ohio and Northern West Virginia, long in a state of suspended animation, will manifest itself within the next ten days. It is believed, when the railroad contracting season, and the lake trade opens. Thus far, however, the requirements of the railroads are the only indications in the way of demand, because the operators are not disposed to entertain the prices offered for coal by the general run of industries which range from \$2.00 to \$3.00 for good grade coal.

The lake trade season, which opens April 15, might give the revival of activities somewhat of an impetus, but not as heretofore, because there now remains at the head of the lakes one-sixth of last season's shipments.

The past eight months has witnessed a dramatic change in the coal trade—prices and business have dropped from the highest point of history to the lowest. Eight months ago there was not coal mines enough to turn out the coal that was demanded; today two-thirds of the mines are suspended.

Last September many operators were getting as much as \$14 a ton for coal; today the same coal is available at from \$2.35 to \$2.65, it is said. But, as a matter of fact, great quantities of coal are not being offered at the current levels.

Operators closed their mines because they were not satisfied with the prices offered. Also they are "much disgusted," as one put it, with the action of many of those who contracted in cancelling their orders when the market began to manifest a reactionary tendency.

Operators believe the time is rapidly approaching when coal will rapidly move up from \$2 to \$3 a ton, but the big industries are not inclined to agree with them. It would appear that the lake buyers expected to get big quantities of mine run coal at \$2.75 and lump coal at \$3, but the operators say they will not open their mines if they have to sell at such figures.

DONORA PHYSICIANS REDUCE THEIR CHARGES

Effective at once Donora physicians are reported to have made a reduction in their charges which will bring their prices back to where they were in 1916. This is the first step on the part of the medical profession to bring their charges back to a place where they were before the war, this action on the part of the Donora physicians being taken on account of the industrial conditions which now prevail in their community.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Carmen Mafort, March 20—a daughter.

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TWO CIVIL RIGHTS BILLS

The negro organizations of Philadelphia are demanding the enactment of a civil rights bill for the State of Pennsylvania, and have already caused to be presented to the State legislature a bill to protect all persons in their equal rights, regardless of race, color or creed, in places of public accommodation, entertainment or amusement, and providing penalty for violation of the same. We quote from a negro correspondent of the Philadelphia Public Ledger, who says further that the bill does not represent "the desire of the negro to force his unwelcome presence upon the white man" but that the object is to "avoid the manifest injustice and inconvenience and insult and humiliation of being dealt with as though he were a leper or a pariah."

The news that in the year 1921 the negroes of Pennsylvania think they are in need of such an enactment may cause both smiles and sighs among elderly Southerners who remember the passage of the famous Civil Rights bill by Congress fifty-odd years ago. The object of the old Civil Rights bill of Federal enactment, briefly stated, was to require the whites of the Southern states, on pain of heavy fine, not only to sit beside the blacks in public conveyances, in theatres, in schools, in churches, and to eat with them in hotels, but to lie beside them in cemeteries—"or any cemetery" that shall make any distinction as to admission or accommodation" etc. The framers of this measure stopped short only of providing for the close association of the two races in the world to come. Not until 1883 was the extraordinary enactment declared to be unconstitutional. It remains to be seen whether the negroes of Pennsylvania will get their civil rights bill; but even if they do they are not likely to see any marked change in present conditions. Birds of a feather will go on flocking together and keeping apart from other birds just as they have been doing throughout the ages since the morning of time.

THE END OF DUPLICATION.

The reorganization of the executive departments of the Government is a project very close to the heart of the President. It is understood that each member of his cabinet holds views similar to his own. Reorganization does not mean that the departments are to be searched for Democratic office holders solely for the purpose of turning them out. It does mean that there will be an end of duplication of effort, of expensive rivalry between departments and bureaus, and of wasted time and money on useless activities. It will result in simplification, in consolidation of bureaus with similar duties to perform, and in large economies.

Fifty years hence, according to speaker at the annual dinner of the Sons of Delaware in Philadelphia, the people of this country will wonder "why America went into a terrible war with the express purpose of ending all wars; and then immediately forgot all about its high resolve." It will hardly take fifty years for that if the wondering going on already is any indication.

Mrs. Maud Wood Park, chairman of the League of Women Voters, says "it is going to be difficult to humanize Senators and Representatives" and she wants more of her associates to hurry to Washington to help, "not only from the galleries but in the committee rooms." Perhaps some of those stubborn statesmen have asked to be informed whether the object is to humanize or feminize them.

New Jersey has no whipping post, but it has a judge who will be equally a terror to evildoers of the banjo type. Judge Pierce of Union county has given three of them hard labor terms varying from 56 to 75 years. That's the sort of thing to bring these merry and reckless crime waves to a halt.

It was supposed that Margot Asquith's husband had been struck dumb by her memoirs and would remain so, yet he has pointedly remarked that the speech from the throne was more notable for what was left out of it than for what was put in.

A Humans Mayor.

Talk about Sunday blue laws, here's a decree issued not long ago by the mayor of a little commune in the Pyrenees: "Whereas, the young people of the commune are wont to meet and dance every Sunday after mass, and the noise they make frightens the cocks, hens and all other animals of the village, we hereby prohibit dancing within the bounds of the commune during the hours in which the domestic animals take their repose."—Boston Transcript.

Compass at South Pole.

At the South magnetic pole, which is a long way from the geographical South pole, a compass needle suspended so as to swing in a vertical plane, dips until it reaches a vertical position with the south end downward. An ordinary compass needle suspended so as to swing horizontally only becomes sluggish near the poles, the magnetic force of the earth tending to pull one end of the needle down, instead of making the needle swing.

For Precious Clippings.

Every woman interested in her home sooner or later forms the habit of clipping recipes, hints and articles of a varied nature which she intends some time to enter in a scrapbook. Too often they are misplaced before that time arrives. A better file, a book-like box with index, is excellent either for permanent or temporary filing. If filed alphabetically when clipped the articles are easily found when wanted.

Good Rules for Life's Conduct.

Never despise anything because it seems wanting in brilliancy. Learn to recognize virtue and honor and excellence, no matter how lowly the garb or humble the dwelling in which you find them. The only thing to do with any excellence is, love it; with honor, emulate it; with virtue, revere it; and the highest compliment you can pay to character is, possess it.—Selected.

His Awful Thought.

Warren was an only child, and there being no boys in the neighborhood he was obliged to play with girls, of whom there were a number. One day he appealed to his father to move, saying: "Dad, if you don't get me away from here and let me play with boys, I am afraid I'll grow up to be a regular sis."

Liquid to Replace Solid Coal.

A noted engineer states that coal, under 200 atmospheres pressure, heated to between 550 and 720 degrees Fahrenheit, and mixed with hydrogen gas, becomes liquid. As the energy is greatly increased he predicts that in the near future it will replace the solid coal.

Self-Denial May Be Overdone.

There are honest souls who would not willingly rob a neighbor, yet who continually rob themselves of the comfort and joy that rightfully belong to them. Self-denial is not a virtue in itself, and it may become as bad for the soul as starvation is for the body.

TRY A CLASSIFIED WANT AD

SMOKE CANDLE VAPOR DEADLY

Fearful Weapon Said to Have Been Brought to Perfection by the War Department.

One of the many ingenious contrivances developed during the recent war was the "smoke candle." Such candles were little cylindrical boxes containing smoke-producing chemicals, which could be ignited at a moment's notice by a sort of friction device. They were used to conceal the movements of small groups of men. When touched off they were simply placed on the ground, to make a smoke screen. The Americans thought it would be a good idea to use smoke candles that would give off a poisonous smoke. These improved candles did not come into use during the war, but since then the chemists of our War department have perfected them. The poison stuff used is a coal-tar product which, a solid at ordinary temperatures, vaporizes in the heat of the burning candle. The vapor will penetrate most gas masks. The military authorities think that such poison smokes will find very extensive use in future warfare.

The smoke of a smoke-candle is usually white. To be effective for concealment, it must, of course, be as opaque as possible; and it must also be heavy, so as to be not easily blown away by a light breeze. Candles that produce a smoke of zinc chloride meet these requirements admirably, but the addition of "diphenyldichlorarsine" makes them poisonous as well.

SCORED ON COUNTRY COUSIN

City Lad Had Endured Much but Opportunity Came and He Surely Improved It.

The country visitor had been regaling his young Glendale cousin with tales of the farm. Some of his stories seemed a little far-fetched to the city lad, who at last became somewhat wearied with the rural youth's boasts of the superiority of things "on the farm."

They were walking along the street when two young men sporting the small skull caps of U. of S. C. were seen approaching.

The country boy was a little mystified. "What's this?" he questioned, "a new city style, these little caps?"

The Glendale lad saw his chance to get square. "Oh, those," he said with assumed carelessness, "no, you see these fellows are students at the university. All the boys who enter have to wear those caps because under the system of education they receive their brains develop so rapidly that their heads grow in circumference, and if they wore ordinary hats, new ones would be necessary almost every month."—Los Angeles Times.

"Even the beaten paths in the snow possess a joy all of their own which, to our mind, excels that of the so-called enchantment of the open road, which had been sung by many writers long before Stevenson wrote of it with such compelling charm," writes Dan Beard in Boys' Life. "To a barefooted boy swinging on the front gate of the white picket fence, the road is both a challenge and an invitation as he gazes wistfully down the dusty reaches and long perspectives where the fences on each side seem to converge until they meet in the unexplored distance or where the road climbs up the hills and dips into the swales to lose itself at last in the mysterious shade of overhanging branches of the wood or grove. That vagabond joy in the open road, that yearning to fare forth and solve the mystery of what lies beyond, comes with almost irresistible force to all of us."

Cave Warmed by Volcano.

A naturally heated cave has been discovered at Horse Butte, near Bend, Ore., which apparently draws its warmth from a subterranean volcanic source. The discovery was made by C. A. Yarnell and H. D. Elde, Bend fuel dealers. The cave is located near the top of the Butte and first attracted attention when a wave of heat was felt issuing from the mouth. The clatter bottom and rock walls of the tunnel are unbearably hot to the touch, the heating increasing as far back as could be explored. That the phenomenon is a recent manifestation was indicated by the smoldering of grass and twigs near the opening. To test the natural oven, Yarnell cooked a light breakfast by introducing raw articles of food into the aperture and closing the orifice for a few moments.

Keeping Down Mine Dust.

The presence of dust in mines is disagreeable from many standpoints, besides being a positive menace from its explosive qualities. Efforts are being made more than ever to keep the mine dust down, and it has been discovered in the case of one mine in Kentucky that excellent results were obtained by sprinkling the empty coal cars. The operation is performed automatically, as the cars are moved along after being dumped, and the difference in the atmosphere of the mine was apparent to all.

Age of Petroleum.

The age of petroleum is here. From an humble beginning in 1859 it has now reached a point where it is consumed in ever increasing quantities until the problem of its production has become one of the most absorbing of international questions—to that country which controls the output being the power of the world.

Some Very Rare Coins.
Some United States coins are very rare. There are only three of the gold eagle of 1795 in existence. The government owns one of these. They were made in the first United States mint, in Philadelphia. In 1792 a copper cent with a tiny silver spot was issued. Perhaps none of these is in existence. A. D. Milhouse, who lived near Murphyboro, Ill., at one time owned the first five-dollar bill issued by the United States treasury. It was No. 1, series A, issued in March, 1862.

Big Claims.

If a man knows himself, he also knows others. Because I know and admit my weaknesses, do not imagine I accept the big claims made by others. When a woman says she can heal the sick by closing her eyes, tapping her forehead and wishing, I know she can't do it. I discount the talk of all the other big talkers. I have found lies so troublesome that I tell as few as possible; in fact, I almost never tell them unless cornered.—E. W. Howe's Monthly.

To Remove Tattoo Marks.

Tattoo marks may be removed by the application of a paste of salicylic acid and glycerine. A compress of the paste is applied to the tattooing and the whole secured with sticking plaster. After about eight days the paste is taken off, the dead skin removed and the application of paste repeated. As a rule about three applications do the work.

History of the Saddle.

In the earlier ages the Romans used neither saddles nor stirrups. Saddles were in use in the Third century, and are mentioned as made of leather in 304, and were known in England about 600. Stirrups were not known before the Fifth century, and not in general use before the Twelfth. Side saddles for ladies were introduced by Anne, queen of Richard II in 1388.

Marvelous Sensitiveness.

The most sensitive instrument yet made is the bolometer, originally invented by Langley, which is used for measuring variations in the radiation of heat. It registers to a millionth of a degree. The heart of it is a platinum wire so thin that it cannot be seen except when a ray of bright light is reflected from it.

Resourceful Statesman.

Sir Robert Walpole got over a financial difficulty by an ingenious device. Finding George I, on coming to the throne, could speak neither English nor French, he conversed with him in Latin. "I governed the kingdom through the medium of bad Latin," he confessed after his retirement from office.

All Ducks Once Wild.

It goes without saying that our domesticated ducks are derived from species originally wild. They are mostly mallards or European and American varieties. Our long-legged so-called "Indian runner duck" is descended from a stock not satisfactorily identified.

Van Buren's Attar of Roses.

The jar of attar of roses which was presented Martin Van Buren when he was President and which was for a time on exhibition in the patent office was stolen within a few years of being placed there. The exact date of the theft is not known, but it was probably between 1850 and 1860.

When a finical caterpillar, who always wipes his knife, fork and spoon on his napkin before using, discovers from the amused looks of his fellow guests that he is absent-mindedly doing the same thing at a formal dinner.—Boston Transcript.

Born, Wed and Died Together.
Born together, and married about the same date, the twin daughters of Mr. J. D. Smith of Ramsgate, England, died within a few days of each other. They were thirty-two years of age, and heart trouble was the cause of death in both cases.

Approaching the Shelf.

There's a hint of sophistication in the reply of a youngster to the question regarding his auntie's age. "I don't know how old she is," he said, "but a cup of tea rests her."—Boston Transcript.

Narrow Minded.

A narrow-minded man is one who won't admit it, but really believes that the world would be better off if there were no one living on it but himself.—Detroit Free Press.

Jud Tunkins.

Jud Tunkins says there are getting to be so many orators that a patient listener ought to be able to hire a hall and sell tickets.

In Any Trade.

"A dress designer," says a Camomille street dressmaker in the London News, "must be born." We always think this is an advantage.—Punch.

Old Dominion Philosopher.

Death is not a welcome guest, but he relieves us of a lot of our troubles.—Richmond Planet.

Silent Contempt.

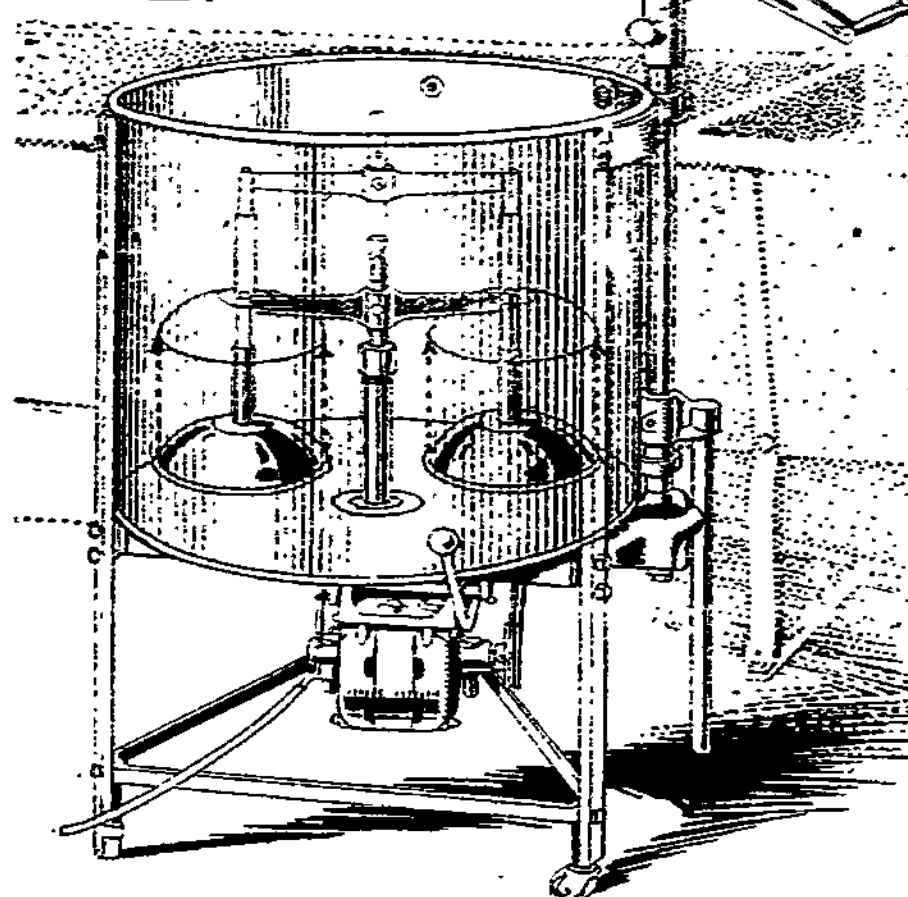
Silent contempt is the noblest way a man can express himself—when the other fellow is bigger.—From Life.

Or Less.

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Kerfoot W. Daly,
Harry C. Daly,
Athalie D. McKean,
Executors.

William I. Berryman, Attorney, Pittsburgh, Pa.

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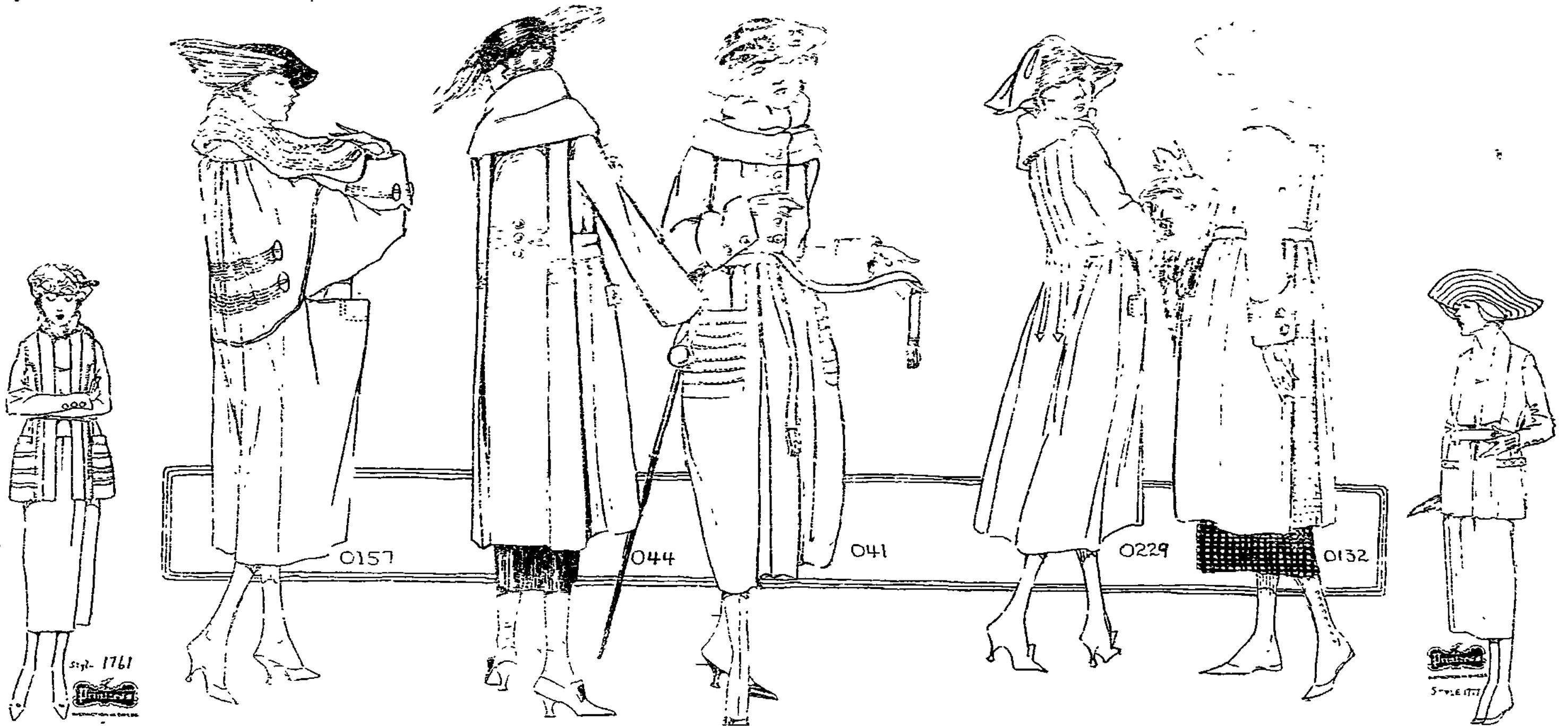
Sales Keeping Up to High Level at Syracuse Factory. Business for the month of February as reported by the Franklin Automobile company of Syracuse show that sales are keeping up to a high level. By February 15 the entire month's production had been sold, and to meet the overdemand the factory was called upon for 100 more cars than planned for. Shipments for the month of 952 cars, or within 35 cars of the best February in the company's history—this occurring last year. A new record would have been set on this year but for the fact that February, 1921 had more days than February, 1920.

With the Franklin factory working on a 40-car-per-day basis which is the present rate of production, it found itself unable to keep up with orders. During February the total number of cars ordered aggregated 1107, and even the 952-car output fell short of filling orders for February shipment by 155 cars. The manufacturing schedule for March calls for the production of 1031 cars.

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ANOTHER VIEW OF SPEERS RUN BRIDGE

Viewers of the two counties interested, Westmoreland and Fayette met last Friday morning at 10:30 in the town hall at Belle Vernon for a hearing on the promised joint county bridge over Speers run, on the route between Monessen and Belle Vernon. A number of witnesses were sworn and testified to the general or special need of the road improvement, particularly in regard to the bridge requirement in connection with the road.

Among the witnesses were the chief promoters of the project, as well as J. C. Sutherland, general superintendent of the Monessen and Allenport plants of the Pittsburgh Steel Products company, which is a heavy taxpayer in Rostraver township, for the reason that plans have just been completed for the improvement of the highway between Speers and Allenport. The company now operates seven motor trucks between the two plants over difficult roads.

Witnesses testified to the general need for the road improvement to complete a link in the river road from Pittsburgh to Uniontown, and the imperative need of a joint county bridge to make such a road improvement possible.

No action was taken, but agreement was made on a postponed meeting to be held Friday next at 10 a. m., to thresh out some legal questions.

BELLE VERNON EXPECTS FREE DELIVERY SYSTEM

Postmaster Lange of the Belle Vernon post office, says there is every reason to believe that free delivery will be established in that borough on Briard avenue, Speers street and Fayette street by July 1st. The Inspector has been over the field and it is intimated will recommend service as above outlined.

PLANTS FOR SALE.

Peonies, Dahlias, Gladiolas, Rose Eushes, Lilacs, Snowballs, Hydrangeas, and Pansies. Hedge, Rhubarb and Strawberry plants. A. B. Assenat, 7th and Highland, Lock No. 4, Pa. 243111

Easy Method of Catching Fish.
Easy methods of catching fish have been invented by the natives of Guam, where the pulpy fruit of a native tree is inclosed in a bag and sunk into deep water where the big fish are. The fruit juice is sought by the fish and stupefies them, so they float to the surface and are taken easily in large numbers.

Soap Will Stop It.
An ordinary piece of kitchen soap is one of the best lubricants. A corner of the cake rubbed on the metal of a latch that will not work, on the cords of a window that sticks, on bureau drawers or doors that will not open and close easily will remedy the trouble in remarkably quick time.

Brings Character Development.
To be thrown on one's own resources is to be cast on the very lap of fortune, for our faculties undergo a development and display an energy of which they are previously unsusceptible.—Franklin.

Doubtless All for the Best.
We grow tired, and long for some shorter and easier way "home." But there is nothing for us but the steady, patient trudging of the path day after day. And doubtless at the end we shall see there was not one step too many or too hard.

Fragile Precious Stones.
Emeralds are mined by hydraulic flushing, because the stones are extremely friable when first exposed to the air and to stresses and shocks, just as opals are, and the care and cure of such gems are problems.

Evil Omen in Dream.
To dream of a massacre foretells the presence of some contagious disease in a community, and is an evil omen to all save gardeners and florists.

Starting Signals.
Professional sprinters start off at the report of a pistol, but the rest of us begin our sprint when we hear a motor horn.—Boston Transcript.

An Exclusive Business.
Most of the trouble is produced by those who don't produce anything else.—Buffalo News.

You Can't Figure It Up.
You can count up the kernels on an ear of corn, but you never can count the ears in a single kernel.

Many Needles Used Daily.
The world uses up between 3,000,000 and 4,000,000 needles daily, or about 11,000,000,000 a year.

The Book Worm's Bother.
Volumes have been written about the operations of the book worm and prizes offered for some suggestion for preventing their activities, but the book worm still thrives. The books made of pure rag paper, rag and wood fiber, and clay filler—each are attractive to a particular group of insects and the result is that no volumes are immune from their attacks. Many bindings are very attractive to roaches and it sometimes happens that owing to the combined activities of these pests that a book is reduced to a mass of dust.

Stone and clay were used to make lamps in Crete about 1600 B. C. These were low and open, with two diametrical depressions cut into the broad rim to afford a rest for the end of a floating wick. They were portable, but many had a high foot, so that the lamp could rest on the floor or be set upon a table.

Only One "Came Back."
It is safe to say that no President was ever otherwise than sorry to leave the White House—a remark which, of course, does not apply to Washington. Inasmuch as he never occupied the mansion. Five men—Van Buren, Fillmore, Grant, Cleveland and Roosevelt—tried hard to get back. Of these Cleveland alone succeeded.

Cards in Ancient Pack.
The playing cards of the Fourteenth century differed materially from the pack in use today. The Venetian pack, for example, consisted of 73 cards—22 of them marked with emblems of various kinds and 56 with numerals, divided into four suits of 14 cards each.

The Fifth Reel.
Many autos carry a fifth wheel, so that there will be no delay should anything happen to one of the other wheels. Some movie plays that ought to be of four-reel length are provided with an extra, or fifth, reel of the story, so that the audience won't get home too early.—Film Fun.

Easter Island.
Easter island is in Polynesia, and was so named because it was discovered on Easter day, April 6, 1722, by a man named Roggeveen. The inhabitants have no name for it. It has been an unorganized dependency of Chile since 1888.

Evening Star.
Any planet that rises before midnight is called an "evening star." If it does not rise until after midnight it is a morning star. These terms are never applied to the real stars, which are called "fixed stars" but only to

Paper Bags.
Empty paper bags have many uses. Shipped over the chimney of a kerosene lamp one such will keep it clean and ready for such an emergency as the night when the electricity fails. In closets paper bags are a convenience to slip over footwear out of season, for it keeps off the dust. Small sized paper bags slipped over pint or quart jars of canned fruit not only keep the jars free from dust, but help preserve the fruit. Paper bags are useful to garner seeds from the flower and vegetable garden for the next season's planting.

Train Them for Happiness.
Every mother who pampers and flatters her little son is making unhappiness for him and his future wife. Every father who allows his little daughter to wheedle him unduly is preparing her for an unfortunate marriage, says London Daily Mail. Such parental conduct is a serious menace to the future well being of the child. No man ever rediscovers the patient indulging mother in his wife. No woman ever realizes the image of a too-doting father in her husband.

Mistletoe Differs.
The American mistletoe differs from the English mistletoe in the independence of the sexes. In the European the male and female flowers grow upon the same plant, hence berries may be found on every plant. In America each sex labors for itself, and grows on separate plants; hence there are many plants barren so far as berries are concerned.

Watered Stock.
Jimmie (visiting his uncle in the country)—"Oh, Uncle George, your hired man is not honest. He let the cows drink a whole lot of water just before he milked them."

Origin of Pensions.
The practice of pensioning or insuring sick and wounded soldiers is said to have been started in England by Oliver Cromwell.

Patented Curves.
The curved edges of the violin are patented by a North Carolina inventor, the form being said to improve the tone of the instrument.

Talk.
Talk is cheap, but not when money dges it.—Life.

A Sure Bet.
The man who carries water on both shoulders generally gets wet.

Replacement.
Good reasoning must be force, give

Credit Given to Shakespeare.
Although wags might have associated the word benedict, meaning a married man, as being cognate with benediction, usually thought of as coming at the end; and Latin students, not conversant with Shakespeare, might have reasoned that as a matter of fact it comes from "bene" (well) and "dicere" (to speak), authorities on such subjects attribute the coinage of the word from the bard's character of Benedict, a wild, witty and light-hearted young lord of Padua in "Much Ado About Nothing."

George Wythe, American Patriot.
George Wythe, one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence and a member of the constitutional convention, was born in Virginia in 1726. He was educated at William and Mary college. From the outbreak of the Revolution he was actively devoted to the patriot cause, and in 1775 sat in the continental congress. After the war he served as judge of the Virginia high court of chancery, and was for ten years professor of law at William and Mary college. He died in 1806.

Ingalls on Death and Life.
Every man is the center of a circle whose fatal circumference he cannot pass. Within its narrow confines he is potential, beyond it he perishes; and if immortality is a splendid but delusive dream, if the incompleteness of every career, even the longest and most fortunate, be not supplemented and perfected after its termination here, then he who dreads to die should fear to live, for life is a tragedy more desolate and inexplicable than death.—John James Ingalls.

Public Speaking.
The first rule for public speaking, therefore, is: Have something that you desire very much to say. The second rule is: Always speak in a natural key, and in a conversational manner. The days of pompous and stilted eloquence are gone by, and it was perhaps Wendell Phillips more than anybody else who put an end to it in this country, and substituted a simpler style.—Thomas Wentworth Higginson, "Hints on Speech-Making."

Pure Gold Not Best for Coins.
The Tuscan sequin was the purest coin known in all history, being 999 parts of pure gold to one of alloy. The 6-uncat piece of Naples, another historic coin, was 996 parts of gold and four parts alloy, while the old Byzantine coins were next, 990 parts gold and 10 alloy. Pure coin is soft and loses rapidly by abrasion, and alloys are used to harden it.

Notice of Dissolution.
Notice is hereby given that the partnership lately existing between Herbert E. Steinman of Fayette City, Fayette County, Pennsylvania, and William F. Vetter, of Charleroi, Washington county, Pennsylvania, under the firm name of Gallatin Trail Motor Car Company, has been terminated on the tenth day of March, A. D. 1921, by mutual consent, so far as relates to the said William F. Vetter.

All debts owing to the said partnership are to be received by the said Gallatin Trail Motor Car Company at Fayette City, Penna., at once and all demands on said partnership are to be presented to it at once for payment.

A new partnership is being formed consisting of Herbert E. Steinman and Edward Steinman, who will continue the business under the firm name of Gallatin Trail Motor Car Company, at Fayette City, Penna. Herbert E. Steinman, William F. Vetter.

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